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PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No.: F-736 DIV**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231**NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the Patent Application of:

Inventors: GUY DEBRAS

For: Production of Polyethylene

This new Application being transmitted is for a divisional application under 37 CFR §1.53(b)(1) and claims the benefit of a prior U. S. Application per 35 USC §120. This Application is a division of prior U.S. Application Serial Number 09/484,481, filed January 18, 2000.

This prior U.S. Application, in turn itself, claims foreign priority as follows:

| Number     | Country | Patent Filed     |
|------------|---------|------------------|
| 99100835.0 | EPO     | January 18, 1999 |

On February 7, 2000, a certified copy of the original Foreign Application was filed in prior application no. 09/484,481.

The following papers are included:

- 9 pages of Specification (excluding claims and abstract)
- 3 pages of Claims
- 1 page of Abstract
- 1 sheet of Informal Drawings (1 Figure)
- 1 page of Power of Attorney
- 2 pages of Declaration
- 3 pages of Assignment
- 1 page of Form PTO-1595

The prior Application is **NOT being abandoned**. The attached papers are a true copy of what is shown in my records to be prior Application Serial No. 09/484,481, as originally filed on January 18, 2000, including the oath or declaration as originally filed.

A copy of the original Declaration signed by all of the inventors is enclosed. The inventorship of all the claims in this application is the same.

A copy of the original Assignment of the invention to Final Research, S.A. is being filed concurrently with this application.

By Preliminary Amendment filed concurrently with this paper, the specification is amended by inserting before the first line the sentence, "This is a divisional application of co-pending Application Serial No. 09/484,481, filed January 18, 2000," and the claims are amended by canceling Claims 1-10. This Divisional Application contains original Claim 11, an independent claim, of the prior Application.

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